

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION section on page one as follows:

This application is a divisional application of United States Patent Application No. 10/076,169 entitled "METHODS FOR MOUNTING MICROELECTRONIC PACKAGES TO CIRCUIT BOARDS—~~(amended)~~," filed on February 12, 2002, now Patent No. 6,622,380, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.